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### Dear Sir:

In connection with the above-referenced patent application, transmitted herewith are the following:

- 1. Response to Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US)(2 pages);
- Copy of Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) (2 pages);
- 3. Substitute Specification, Claims and Abstract (13 pages);
- 4. Preliminary Amendment specifically stating changes to Claims; (6 pages);
- 5. Declaration and Power of Attorney (2 pages);
- 6. Check No. 7279 in the amount of \$980.00; and
- 7. Post card in acknowledgment of receipt of all transmitted materials.

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Respectfully submitted,

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> RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/elected Office (DO/EO/US) dated June 7, 2005, transmitted herewith are the following:

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#### **REMARKS**

The Declaration and Power of Attorney is submitted pursuant to Section 3(c) of the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US).

The Substitute Specification and Preliminary Amendment are submitted pursuant to, our telephone conversation with and resulting instructions from Ms. Anita D. Johnson of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on June 16, 2005.

Our check in the amount of \$880.00 is submitted herewith as payment in full of the following amended fees pursuant to our telephone conversation with Ms. Anita D. Johnson of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on June 16, 2005:

Examination Fee:	\$200.00
Search Fee:	\$500.00
Extra claims fee (3 claims over 20)	\$150.00
Late Surcharge	<u>\$130.00</u>
Total fees due	\$980.00

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Respectfully submitted,

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# NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 12/16/2004
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 12/16/2004
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 12/16/2004
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 12/16/2004
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 12/16/2004
- Priority Documents filed on 12/16/2004

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Additional claim fees of \$1310 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.
- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- \$130 Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)) is required.

# SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$2040 for a Large Entity:

- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.
  - The application search fee has not been paid. Applicant must submit \$400 to complete the search fee.
  - The application examination fee has not been paid. Applicant must submit \$200 to complete the examination fee for a non-small entity
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$ 1310
  - \$200 for 1 independent claims over 3.
  - \$750 for 15 total claims over 20.
  - \$360 for multiple dependent claim surchare.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the response.

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